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Feb: 21. 1881
Pittsburg

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Has a Van Dyke
"The Crucifixion." for
sale. price \$15000.

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Pittsburg, Feb 21st 1881

Trustees Corcoran Art Gallery
Washington D.C.

Gentlemen

I have an original
Van Dyke "The Crucifixion" which I am
desirous of disposing off - Would like
to know whether you would purchase
it - My price is \$15000⁰⁰ Please
write me at Charleston Kanawha
Co. West Va when I intend remaining
for a week or ten days -

Very Respectfully
A. Bruckhoff

Welling.

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Jas. C.

Feb 23/81

About the patrim
of Randolph, to be
copied by Williamson.
Should be taken out
of the gallery

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Dear Mr.

I think it's all important that the picture remain
on sale to Mr Guillaume's
studio, and that nothing be
said about the transaction
outside of the gallery.

Look at my vacation room,
and must play dumb excuse
her scroll.

Your truly

J. G. Kelley

Somerville.
Thh

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Feb 23. 1881.

Feb 24/81,

Estimate for
barrier in Picture
Gallery \$ 160.

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National Brass Works

THOMAS SOMERVILLE,

Manufacturer and Dealer in **PLUMBERS' SUPPLIES,**

Nos. 316, 318, 320, and 322 Thirteenth St. N. W.

Washington, D. C. *Feb 23rd, 1881*

Trustees Corcoran Art Gallery

Gentlemen

We will make
and put up Snow Packing
according to tracing furnished
us for the sum of One hun-
dred and Sixty Dollars
(\$160.00).

*Very respectfully
Thos. Somerville
P. J. S.*

Thurston
S. D.

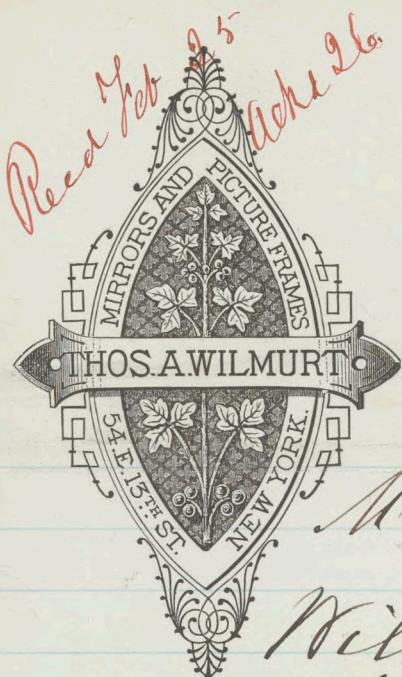
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Wilmurt

N. Y. Feb 24/81

Order to deliver
his picture of Niagara
to Mr. Thos A. Wilmurt
or order.

Order enclosed



THOMAS A. WILMURT,
LOOKING GLASS
AND
Picture Frame Manufacturer
FRAMES RE-GILT,

54 EAST THIRTEENTH STREET,

Three doors West of Broadway.

NEW YORK, *Feb 24th 1881*

Mr McLeod

Dear Sir

Will you please
execute the within
order from Mr Thurston
for shipping his picture
by Propeller to me as
soon as you can without
too much trouble Please
direct it to me as above
Will you be so kind as
to caution those who
are to handle the same to
be carefull not to mar it
I do expect to come
to your city this winter

one business but it did
not turn up as good & can
say I am disappointed.
Not a little in as much
as I felt I should take
so much pleasure in our
again of meeting you after
so many years.

I hope you are well
& very happy
How is Constant Mayes
The Song of the Shirt getting
along I hope it is doing
well I always liked this
picture I once tried to get
a $\frac{1}{2}$ Stewart to buy it or
no he said I have too much
Song of the Shirt in my business
Mr Wilmurt Philadelphia
line & let's know how we are
With kind regards believe me
Yours truly
Mrs A Wilmurt

New York Feb 24 1881
Mr MacKellar

My dear Sir

Please deliver

To Mr Thomas A. Walnuts
order my ^{dicto} "Ringam" By Sunday,
& I'll pay.

I have but a few moments
in which to write, & do much
wish to express my warmest
thanks for your very kind
attention. But I feel that the
hasty note like this is inade-
quate, but believe me, that
I shall ever feel indebtedness
to you for them all.

Very Respectfully yours

Wm A. Weston

Baker

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Miss C. K.

Peoria Ill

Feb 21/81

Feb 25/81,

Order for her
picture of the
Bohemians to be
delivered to Mrs. Thistlewood.

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Recd. Feb 25.

Mr. Ireland
Dr. Sri -

I have enclosed
the sending of my picture
to Dr. Park to Mrs. Winslow
Would you allow her
to take The Bohemian
as also The Picture in
The Loan Collection
as early as the 26th of
the month enclosed
obliged Yours very truly

Ellen K. Baker.

Perrin Feb. 26/81

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Avery, J. P.

N. Y. Feb 24/81

Feb 26/81.

About picture of
Washington at
Yorktown.

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S. P. AVERY
ART GALLERY, 86 FIFTH AVENUE
NEAR 14TH ST.

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Ackd Feb. 1st, '81.

NEW YORK,

Feb. 24th, 1881.

Mr MacLeod Esq.
Dear Sir.

Your ^{of 22nd}

said the picture of Washington at Yorktown, was sent you but I believe the expressage was not prepaid, through carelessness of the packers. If you will please let me know the am't. I will send it on. Much I wish you to be kind enough to see that the picture is put in its frame properly & gets a good light.

Yours truly
S. P. Avery

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Kauffmann
J. A.

Feb 28. 1881

Accepts election
as Trustee.

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1000 M. Street

Washington

28th February, 1881.

Dear Sir:

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt, this morning, of your letter of the 26th inst., informing me that at a meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Corcoran Gallery of Art, that day held, I was unanimously elected to fill the vacancy in the Board caused by the recent death of the Honorable Henry D. Cooke.

I accept with pleasure, but not without some misgiving, that share in the delicate and responsible obligations resting upon your body which this action transfers to me, and will hold myself in readiness to discharge the same to the best of my ability.

Please communicate these facts to your associates on the Board, with my sincere thanks for the high compliment they have paid me, and also my assurance that it shall be my constant aim to retain their confidence and esteem, of which your letter affords such gratifying evidence.

With great respect,

Your obedient servant,

J. H. Kauffmann.

W^m. Atte: Hyde,-

Secretary Board of Trustees.

Corcoran Gallery of Art.

Barber, J. J.

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Columbus Ohio.
Feb 25. 1881

Feb 28/81

About his picture.
("Sister")

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Rec'd. Feb. 28

Columbus O. Feb 25th /81

Wm Ladd Esq

Dear Sir

I rec'd. your kind & timely note of the
17th and duly rec'd and I thank
you for your prompt acknowledgment
of safe arrival of my picture. I
fully appreciate what it takes to do
this at this particular time when I know
your time must be more than fully
occupied with your regular duties.

I hope it will be so that you can
hang it in a good light soon for I
have a great many friends in your city
who will perhaps look for it, among
whom I may count our worthy President
and his estimable lady. I judge
by the tone of your letter, that you
infer from the tone of my former letter,

that I hoped the Trustees of the
Corcoran Gallery might purchase
the little "Diorat." That is too much
of a good thing to hope for. I did not
know whether you ever sold pictures from the
Gallery a lot, and I merely put in the
price so that in case anyone did take a
fancy to it and should wish to purchase
you'd know what to say. In case the
Trustees should think of taking it, I
should consider that the honor of a place
in that gallery should enter very materially
into the matter of price to be paid and
and modify my figures accordingly.

I am
Yours truly
J. J. Barker

Appleton & Co

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About Cyclopædia.

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D. APPLETON & CO.,
PUBLISHERS,

1, 3 & 5 BOND STREET.

New York, Jan 27 1881

Recd Jan 27
Mr. W^m Macleod

Corcoran Gal of Art, Washington D.C.

Sir

In answer to your favor of 26th inst kindly
state that the Am Cyclo consists of 16 vols.
to which has been added an Ind^d and the
Annuals for 1876. 77. 78 + 79

* The prices are for both 5⁰ per vol Ship 6⁰
1/2 mor 7⁵⁰ 1/2 Russ 8⁵⁰

We send you a circular of the Ind^d from
which you can form some idea of its value

Yours truly

D. Appleton & Co.
by Geo. T. Green

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per vol

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St. Louis,

Mch 7. 1881.

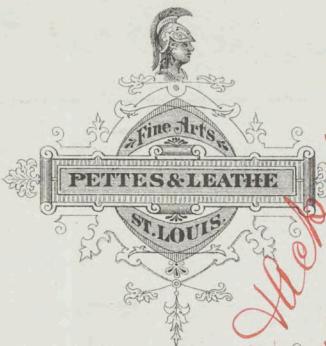
Mch 9/81

offers Marble "Puck"
by Harriet Hosmer for
\$1,200^f &

Persephone by Powers
for \$1,100

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litter litter on Apr 11/81
to be kept at Ad



606 & 608 WASHINGTON AVE.

PETTES & LEATHÉ
MANUFACTURERS OF
MIRRORS & PICTURE FRAMES.
IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN PAINTINGS, ENGRAVINGS
AND OTHER WORKS OF ART.

St. Louis. March 7 1857

Curator Corcoran Gallery of Art
Dear Sir,

We desire to call your attention to the fact that we have the original Marble "Duck" by Harriet Hosmer now for sale -

It is in good order and can be bought for a very moderate price as the owner is declining housekeeping - say \$1200. Also a Prospers pine by Powers c \$1000.

We should be pleased to hear from you in reference to them - and remain

Very respectfully

Petters & Leathé